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[318ஆம் பக்கத்திலுள்ள இனம் 6(2)-க்கான அடிக் குறிப்பைக் காண்க.]

L.A. Bill No. 35 of 1972.

(As passed by the Assembly.)

A Bill to amend the Tamil Nadu Agricultural Lands Record of Tenancy Rights Act, 1969.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Tamil Nadu in the Twenty-third Year of the Republic of India as follows :—

1. *Short title.*—This Act may be called the Tamil Nadu Agricultural Lands Record of Tenancy Rights (Amendment) Act, 1972.

2. *Insertion of new section 4-A in the Tamil Nadu Act* 10 of 1969.—After section 4 of the Tamil Nadu Agricultural Lands Record of Tenancy Rights Act, 1969 (Tamil Nadu Act 10 of 1969) (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act), the following section shall be inserted, namely :—

"4-A. *Power of record officer to take suo motu action.*—Where it appears to the record officer that in respect of any land let for cultivation, the land owner, intermediary or tenant having interest in such land—

(*a*) has failed to intimate his interest in such land under sub-section (3) of section 3; or

(*b*) has failed to make an application for rectification or inclusion under sub-section (6) of section 3; or

(*c*) has failed to make an application for inclusion of particulars relating to such land in the approved record of tenancy rights under clause (*a*) or clause (*b*) of sub-section (1) of section 4,

the record officer shall make an enquiry in respect of the land-owner, intermediary or tenant having interest in such land, in accordance with such procedure as may be prescribed and if, after making such enquiry, the record officer decides that the

particulars of the land should be included in the draft or the approved record of tenancy rights, as the case may be, he shall pass an order accordingly and shall make the necessary entries in the draft or approved record of tenancy rights, as the case may be :

Provided that the record officer shall not pass an order under this section unless the parties concerned have been given a reasonable opportunity to make their representation either orally or in writing. ".

3. *Amendment of section 7, Tamil Nadu Act* 10 *of* 1969.—In section 7 of the principle Act,—

(i) for the words " The District Collector ", the words " The District Collector or such officer as may be specified by the Government in this behalf " shall be substituted;

(ii) in the proviso, for the words " the District Collector ", the words " the District Collector or the said officer " shall be substituted.

4. *Amendments of sections* 8, 10 *and* 17, *Tamil Nadu Act* 10 *of* 1969.—In section 8, 10 and 17 of the principal Act, for the words " the District Collector ", the words " the District Collector or the officer referred to in section 7" shall be substituted.

5. *Insertion of new section 16-A in Tamil Nadu Act* 10 *of* 1969.—After section 16 of the principal Act, the following section shall be inserted, namely :—

" 16-A. *Bar of jurisdiction of civil courts.*—No civil court shall have jurisdiction in respect of any matter which the record officer, the District Collector or other officer or authority empowered by or under this Act has to determine and no injunction shall be granted by any court in respect of any action taken or to be taken by such officer or authority in pursuance of any power conferred by or under this Act.".